

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the boys junior unified basketball team of McGary Middle School, Evansville, Indiana, for finishing first in boys division I of the Special Olympics Unified Sports state basketball championship.

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## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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Whereas, Unified Sports is part of the Special Olympics program;

Whereas, The goal of the Unified Sports program is to partner athletes without disabilities with athletes who possess disabilities in a setting where all athletes are challenged to improve their skills;

Whereas, Rules of unified basketball state that teams on the floor must have three special education athletes and two partners;

Whereas, The unified basketball season is from six to eight weeks long, with one practice and one game per week;

Whereas, Unified basketball teaches the athletes the value of competition, discipline, and how to deal with other people; and

Whereas, The members of the boys junior unified basketball team of McGary Middle School worked extremely hard and learned valuable lessons that will remain with them throughout their lives: Therefore,



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## Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

1	SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to
2	congratulate the boys junior unified basketball team of McGary Middle
3	School for finishing first in boys division I of the Special Olympics
4	Unified Sports state basketball championship and to wish team
5	members continued success in their future endeavors.
6	SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
7	Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the members

superintendent of the school corporation.

of the team, the coach, the principal of McGary Middle School, and the

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